

WHEAT PROBLEMS RECEIVING SERIOUS THOUGHT AT OTTAWA—MANY LETTERS RECEIVED FROM WEST ASKING STABILIZED PRICE

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 9.—(By the Canadian Press.)—The wheat situation and conditions among the farmers of the prairie provinces are daily en-

gaging the most serious consideration of members of the Dominion government. Undoubtedly on his return to the capital over the week-end this problem will be one of the first to receive the attention of Premier R. B. Bennett. Representatives of the governments of the western provinces are expected to come to Ottawa some time next week to confer

with the prime minister in the matter.

In the meantime, many communications are reaching various members of the government in each mail arriving from the west, asking for the establishment of a minimum price on Canadian wheat. The bulk of these letters are from members of the wheat pool in different parts of Saskatchewan, and the nature of the request is for a guarantee of 70 cents per bushel on number one northern at Fort William. Under the Canadian constitution, the fixing of a minimum price such as suggested, it is understood, is a matter for parliament alone.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. St. George and family wish to thank all their friends and relations for sympathy and kindness shown in their sad bereavement. Also to thank those who sent floral tributes and spiritual bouquets, loaned cars or assisted in any way.

OUT OF PLACE

Wife (apologetically): "I took the receipt for this cake right out of the cookbook." Husband (tactfully): "You did quite right, darling. It never should have been put in."—Montreal Star.

BOMBERS DAMAGE WORLD'S LARGEST OFFICE BUILDING

Chicago, Dec. 9.—One of the world's largest office buildings—the American Furniture Mart—situated in Lake Shore Drive on the near northside, was bombed last night. A hole was torn in the first floor, masonry on the Huron street side was ripped away and windows throughout the north and northeast parts of the building were shattered. Estimates of the damage ranged from \$5000 to \$15,000.

No one saw the bombers or the explosive which police believed was attached to a time fuse. Neither could anyone supply a motive.

MOVE TO RESCIND LAWS PROHIBITING LIQUOR EXPORT

Ottawa, Dec. 9.—(Can. Press.)—A definite move to rescind Canada's legislation prohibiting liquor export to the United States will be made at the next session of parliament. Col. S. C. Robinson, member of the Dominion parliament for West Essex, has given notice of his intention to bring in legislation rescinding the liquor export act passed at the last session of parliament.

GRAIN MEN OF WEST VIEW WITH OPTIMISM NEW POLICY OF POOL

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 9.—(By the Canadian Press.)—Grain men of Western Canada today viewed with optimism the new policy of the Canadian Co-operative Wheat Producers, Limited, the central selling agency for the prairie pools, as announced in an official statement issued to the press last night by John I. McFarland, newly-appointed general manager.

Under the new policy, which involves the withdrawal of direct representatives in European centres, the central selling agency will use every established facility in the marketing of its grain.

Established Canadian trading channels in contrast to the direct selling overseas, will be followed, and this, a complete reversal in pool policy, was viewed by grain trade circles as a step forward, which will quicken the sale of the Dominion's grain.

HIS HANDICAP

Laura: "Why do Eileen's people object to her future husband?" Vera: "Well, there are seven in the family and he's only got a two-seater."—Auto Car.

11 Shopping Days Before Christmas

Do your Christmas Gift Buying early and avoid hurried choosing in the last few days.

NO COMMISSION IN FUTURE FOR POOL CONTRACT-GETTERS

Calgary, Alta., Dec. 9.—No commission will be paid in future for wheat pool contracts secured by canvassers, and agents for this purpose will be appointed for a term of one year only, it was announced at the wheat pool head office on Tuesday, following a resolution passed at the meeting of pool delegates last week.

In the past it has been the custom for the pool director in each district to appoint a number of solicitors who were paid a commission running as high as \$2.50 for each new contract they secured, the appointment being for an indefinite period. A substantial saving will be effected by head office through the cancellation of the commission arrangement, and it is felt that very few contracts will be lost as a result of this action.

New members enrolled by the pool in Alberta in November totalled 138, the contracts representing a total of 10,144 acres.

It is rumored that one of the tobacco companies will try music to advertise its wares. Probably the refrain from spitting.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF ELECTRIC RADIOS

Local owners of Electric Radios are warned that during high winds their radio equipment is in danger of being destroyed by shorted wires, and in their interests it is suggested that plugs be pulled during violent wind storms. The town will not be responsible for damage to radios resulting from neglect of this precaution. Macleod Electric Dept.

PROFESSIONAL

LEGAL

J. W. McDONALD, K.C., Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, Etc.
Macleod ———— Alberta

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

REWARD—FOR RETURN OF Red Bicycle taken from back of McNay's store Tuesday night, Dec. 9th. Apply Times, 42-1tp50c

FOR RENT—5-ROOM Modern House. Located 4th Ave. and 27th St. Macleod, apply Dr. Mills. 40-1f

RADIO BARGAINS — DE Forest Crosley Cabinet Battery Radio. Also Atwater Kent Battery Radio. For quick sale, McNay's Drug Store, Macleod. 41-1f

FOR SALE — SINGING Canaries and breeding hens. 1930 bred. Or will trade for pullets. Horton, 21st St., Macleod E. 41-3tp\$1.00

FOUND — LADY'S GOLD Watch—hunting case—gold chain, owner can have same by proving ownership and paying for this advertisement. Chief Pringle. 41-2t

NOTICE

IN THE ESTATE OF SUSAN E. WALL, late of the Town of Macleod in the Province of Alberta, Married woman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named SUSAN E. WALL, who died on the twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1930, are required to file with the undersigned by the tenth day of January, A. D. 1931, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.

DATED at Macleod, Alberta, this 25th day of November, A. D. 1930.

JOSEPH D. MATHESON, Solicitor for the Administrator.
Macleod, Alberta, Address.

MILLS NOW ON WAY TO FACE CHARGES IN ONTARIO COURT

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 9.—Harvey Mills, stock broker charged here yesterday with an indictable offense, left here last night under escort of Inspector W. Stringer of the Ontario Provincial Police, it was announced today. Major W. MacKay, Crown Prosecutor announced that the Mills case here would be adjourned from week to week pending the disposal of the charges against him in Ontario courts and until he and I. W. C. Solloway, against whom similar charges will be laid, can be brought here together.

Mills arrived here Sunday from Lethbridge after serving a month sentence in jail there.

Mills' case was called in police court this morning and remand for a week was granted.

In an effort to delay the departure of Mills until after he had been examined for discovery in an action at the suit of Dr. Samuel Blumberger, Vancouver, who claims \$46,000, a writ of habeas corpus was sought in supreme court from Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald. The application was refused by his lordship.

WASHINGTON COMMENT

"How's business?" asked the President.

"Not so good, we're making little money now," sighed the head of the Bureau of Printing and Engraving. — Cincinnati Enquirer.

"But I should think a short story writer would run out of ideas."

"They do—but then they can always write books."—Chicago Daily News.

COMING EVENTS FORESHADOWED

Dr. A. E. Shore, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, from the office of Drs. Gunn, Hackney and Shore, Calgary, will be at the Macleod General Hospital on Friday, December 12th, for the purpose of making any examinations required. Any person wishing to see Dr. Shore will kindly notify either Dr. Kennedy or Dr. Hogg, and the necessary arrangements will be made.

The Macleod Ladies Hospital Aid will be at Home in the Town Hall Saturday, December 20th, 1930, from 3 to 6 p. m. Bring your donations for the Old Folks at the Hospital, and have a cup of tea with the ladies.

The 93rd Battery will hold their Annual Christmas Ball in the Elks Hall, Macleod on Xmas night, Thursday, December 25th. Whittaker's Orchestra. Lunch served at midnight. Admission—Ladies \$1.00—Gentlemen \$1.00.

Don't fail to attend Ye Olde Tyme Dance in the Town Hall, Macleod, Tuesday, December 16th. Music by Cy Perkins orchestra. Prizes given for best Olde Tyme Waltzing. Ladies 50c. Gents 50c.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services Sunday, Dec. 14th, 1930:
11 a. m.—Morning Worship.
12.15 p. m.—Sunday School.
7.30 p. m.—Evening Worship.

Rev. Alex Ferguson, M. A., Minister.

UNITED CHURCH—MACLEOD

Services Sunday, Dec. 14th, 1930:

11 a. m.—"Now Abideth Faith, Hope and Love."
12.15 p. m.—The Church School and Christmas Music.
7.30 p. m.—"I Have Called You Friends."

Rev. J. F. Knight, M. A., B. D., Pastor.

CHRIST CHURCH (ANGELICAN)

Services Sunday, December 14th, 1930—(Third Sunday in Advent):

11 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.
Sunday School and C. G. I. T. will attend this service.
7.30 p. m.—Evensong and Sermon.
Rev. F. Randall Powell, Rector.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Meetings as follows:
Saturday—Prayer Meeting 8:30 p. m.
Sunday—11 a. m. Holiness; 3 p. m.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class; 7:30 p. m.—Salvation Meeting.
Officers in charge Capt. and Mrs. Weir.

DR. H. V. GOLDING EN-DORSES SARGON

"My troubles started in 1900 with chronic constipation that defied every effort I made for relief. My whole system be-



DR. H. VERNER GOLDING

came toxic. Rheumatism settled in my arms and legs; my digestion was impaired; I had constant headaches and dizzy attacks, and was finally forced to give up my practice. Knowing something of the scientific background of the Sargon formula, I tried the treatment. Sargon Pills re-established a regularity of bowel movements and overcame my toxic condition. The Sargon liquid restored my digestion and my strength returned. Every trouble I had disappeared and I expect to soon resume my practice. When I do, I will recommend this remarkable treatment." Dr. H. Verner Golding, 12 Christie-Grant Block, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, former intern at the Boston City Hospital.

Sargon may be obtained in Macleod from The Rexall Drug Store.—Adv't.

INDIAN DELEGATE DE-PLORES LAHORE, CALCUTTA MURDERS

London, Dec. 9.—(By George Hambleton, Canadian Press Staff Correspondent) — Committees of the Indian round-table conference met today in the shadow of the murders at Calcutta and Lahore. Word had reached London of the assassination of Lt.-Gen. Norman Simpson, Inspector of Bengal prisons, at Calcutta, and the suicide of his slayer, and of the killing at Lahore of Captain McClenaghan and a sergeant of the Punjab Regiment by an assailant who committed suicide.

K. T. Paul, Indian Christian, and member of the British India delegation, spoke of his horror at learning of the outrages. "Order must be enforced," he said, but he added that some of the actions of the executive through the police in recent times had no doubt provoked the senseless acts. He urged that in the administration of law and order there should be no resort to excesses which, from his own observation, were often brutal and immoral.

Empress Theatre Programme

THURS.—FRI.—SAT.—
A picture chock full of fun—CHARLOTTE GREENWOOD in

"SO LONG LETTY" with Grant Withers, Bert Roach, Patsy Ruth Miller, Harry Gribbon and others. The biggest laugh hit of the season. Feeling Blue? Come and Laugh with Letty. This picture is a real tonic.

Also showing—
ALL TALKING COMEDY WEEKLY SOUND NEWS VITAPHONE NEWS (A real good programme).

MON.—TUES.—WED.—
December 15th, 16th and 17th: Henry King's noted production—

"HELL HARBOR" with Lupe Velez, Jean Hersholt, John Holland. Undoubtedly this picture stands out from others because of the something different that it contains. It is a striking story and will hold you from start to finish. Be sure to see this.

Also showing—
Comedy entitled—
"HELLO TELEVISION"

And musical act—
"OVERTURE OF 1812" Monday Is Gift Night!

LET US DO YOUR CHRISTMAS BAKING

Why Bake Your Christmas Cakes When Bawden Can Bake Them As Good As You Can And Save You The Troubles. Either Plain Or Decorated.

Good Things to Eat at The Merry Christmas Time
CREAM PUFFS — CREAM ROLLS — PASTRIES
And Any Other Delicacy You May Order Baked.

CHRISTMAS CANDIES—A Choice Line of Candies in Fancy Boxes

BAWDEN'S BREAD IS GOOD BREAD
BUY BREAD—DON'T BAKE IT

Fancy China --- Suitable for Xmas Giving

BAWDEN'S BAKERY

Phone 132 Macleod, Alberta

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

A Full Line of WATERMAN, PARKER AND SHEAFFER FOUNTAIN PENS AND PENCILS—Nothing Makes a More Suitable Xmas Gift Than One Of These Standard Pens Or Pencils.
Fine Line Of PERFUMES AND TOILET GOODS—In Xmas Packages.

BEAUTIFUL LINE OF CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS
Drugs — Stationery — Kodaks — Confectionery
R. D. McNAY

MACLEOD ALBERTA

For Xmas This Year

GIVE USEFUL GIFTS

MILLINERY—NOTIONS

FANCY GOODS

STAMPED LINENS — TABLE CLOTHS

J. A. STRUTHERS

MISS WILSON'S OLD STAND MACLEOD

Useful Xmas Gifts

Carry the sentiment of the Xmas Season as fully as expensive gifts that the recipient cannot make everyday use of. We have:

Footwear of every description for Men and Boys—Dress Shirts for Men—Underwear of Quality—Odd Pants—Sweaters—Mackinaw Coats—Leather Coats—Buckskin Coats — Caps — Mitts — Dress Gloves — Suspenders — Garters—Ties.

Trunks—Suit Cases—Club Bags, Aviatrix Cases. Complete Line of Harness and Saddles.

The Great West Saddlery

H. LITTLE, Manager MACLEOD

MEATS Of QUALITY

PARTICULAR PEOPLE ARE PLEASED WITH THE QUALITY OF MEATS WE SELL AND THE COURTEOUS AND PROMPT SERVICE ACCORDED PATRONS.

Highest Market Price Paid for Choice Turkeys!

MACLEOD MEAT MARKET

Phone 3 Macleod

Whitworth's Toyland
Santa Claus' Headquarters
Big Cut Price Toy Sale
Positively Ends
Saturday, December 13th, '30

Don't fail to profit by this cut price sale of new and fresh stock of toys—With the closing of the store Saturday night your big opportunity is ended to see what you buy and

SAVE BIG MONEY ON XMAS TOYS

WHITWORTH'S -- MACLEOD



—and wherever Christmas is, there will be found this world-renowned whisky

HIRAM WALKER & SONS LIMITED
DISTILLERS AND HEAD OFFICE: WALKERVILLE, CANADA
ESTABLISHED 1888

WALKER'S
CANADIAN CLUB
WHISKY

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THE MACLEOD TIMES

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per year\$2.00
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WEEKLY CIRCULATION OF 1,400
Circulated in a prosperous town of 1,700 population and in adjacent prosperous farming district.

THURSDAY, DEC. 11th, 1930

LET'S ALL THINK ALIKE!

You like the taste of mayonnaise dressing on lettuce? Well, I do not! You like a little fat with your slice of roast beef? Well, I do not! You like flat-heeled shoes? I don't!

Something has got to be done about this. We can't go on living in the same city, in the world, with such varying tastes. What'll we do? Perhaps we ought to pass a law.

Now here. A group of citizens of Florida recently furnished the governor a list of what they called "indecent" books in the libraries of two Florida institutions of learning. George Bernard Shaw and H. G. Wells were among the offenders listed.

There you have it, exactly. That's the way it'll finally work out. You and I will go before the judges and tell our story. You'll say you crave your let-

tuce with mayonnaise and I'll say I simply cannot eat it that way.

You can tell the powers that be your story about liking coffee with cream and sugar. I'll tell them that dilution of coffee with cream I regard as nauseating.

We'll get a decision on our troubles. Maybe they'll rule that the world will have to eat lettuce with mayonnaise and that all coffee should be taken black. We'll each have scored a point.

Thus the world and everything in it eventually will be regulated. And the only books we'll have left to read will be the tomes of edicts by the censors.

Won't everything be wonderful then?

THE DECLINE OF DUELING

This is a hard world, and every day something happens to destroy another of our cherished beliefs. The latest catastrophe of this kind is in respect to the glamorous old custom of dueling.

The other day, two Hungarian noblemen, having had a disagreement, went out to fight a duel with swords. They hated one another bitterly, and they were fine representatives of the old order. They should have furnished a magnificent example of the duel at its most romantic.

But what happened? They fought for two hours, with swords, without hurting one another. Then they dropped their swords and went to it with their fists. Their seconds

managed to separate them and they resumed the fight with swords—until, at last, a doctor examined the pulse of one of the duelists, announced that his heart was thumping too rapidly, and called the whole thing off.

This, obviously, is all wrong. No character out of Dumas ever fought that kind of a duel. Another illusion seems to be gone forever.

A SCIENTIST AND MOSQUITOES

It is a well-known fact that scientists endure much in the quest for truth. However, the current Aromatics Magazine reveals the name of a scientist who seems to have surpassed practically all of his brothers in this matter. He is Dr. William Rudolfs, and he makes a practice of sitting alone in the swamps of New Jersey and letting the mosquitoes bite him.

Dr. Rudolfs is out to find a good lotion to foil mosquitoes. He smears one hand with the lotion he is testing and leaves the other bare, goes and sits among the mosquitoes for an evening, and then contrasts the number of bites on each hand. All in all, he has spent hundreds of hours at this game, and has accumulated nobody knows how many mosquito bites.

For genuine endurance, this benefactor seems to take the prize. If anything can be more maddening than continued assaults by hungry mosquitoes, it is hard to imagine what it may be. More power to Dr. Rudolfs!

HEALTH SERVICE OF THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION — HELP THROUGH THE USE OF HEALTH RULES

Education does not consist merely in the knowledge of certain facts. It is much more than that for it implies the ability to put knowledge into practice.

We need to be informed as to how to live in order to be healthy. Our lives should be guided by intelligence, not by instinct, if we are to rise above the level of the animal world.

But knowledge regarding the securing and the maintenance of health will not, in itself, be of any real value to us. It is the way we apply this knowledge, by making it part of our daily lives, that counts. Results come from the application of knowledge rather than from the knowledge itself.

There are certain comparatively few and simple rules of living which are the determining factors in our health. These rules are known to most people, and yet the number who practice them consistently is not great.

There is only one practical way to hold to these rules, and that is to make habits of them. It is just as easy to acquire good habits as bad ones, and the practice of the good habits makes life much more comfortable, pleasant and happy for ourselves and for others.

We usually establish our habits of life in childhood. During this period of our lives, we inevitably establish some kind of habits, good or bad. Habits express our response to certain conditions. By frequent repetition of such response, we come to perform an act without thinking.

If a child has his hands washed before meals, it follows that, in the course of time, he

CONFUSION and DISGUST

OR
LAW and ORDER?

THERE ARE MANY REASONS
WHY YOU SHOULD NOT SIGN
THE PROHIBITION PETITION.

STOP

and carefully study the question before putting your name on any petition that upsets law and order.

LOOK

at the alternative result. The bootlegger back again unchecked and uncontrolled.

LISTEN

to the results of 10 years' attempted prohibition in the United States.

WE IN ALBERTA HAVE NO
LIQUOR QUESTION BECAUSE
IT IS UNDER CONTROL.
IN THE UNITED STATES ALL
IS CONFUSION AND DISGUST.

Prohibition never has and never will be a success. Leave Alberta's Liquor Act alone. Do not sign the Prohibition petition. We don't want the bootlegger back again.

Moderation League of Alberta, Inc.

will go himself and wash his hands before sitting down to the table. In the same way, he accustoms himself to brush his teeth at certain hours; he learns to go to the toilet at a set time; he goes to bed and has his meals by the clock. In other words, he establishes habits.

The parent cannot make a greater contribution to the child's health and happiness than by establishing proper physical and mental habits.

The reason why we refer to this subject is because it so often happens that parents who are reasonably well-informed as to what habits of life are desirable, are often careless or indifferent in seeing that their child establishes proper habits.

The establishment of proper habits takes time and patience and perseverance. The parents must know what they are trying to do; must be informed as to how to do it, and be prepared to gain an understanding of the child and of the manner in which children are to be trained. Success with the greatest task of parents—child training—does not come through instinct, but is acquired through study and preparation. Parents need education in child training if they

are to give their children a proper start in life.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

BANDIT'S WIFE SMUGGLED SAWS TO HUSBY IN JAIL

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 9.—Alleged to have smuggled small saws to her husband at the provincial jail, while he was waiting transfer to the penitentiary to serve a 15-year sentence for robbery, Mrs. Doris Wyrozub has been committed for trial in provincial police court. The saws, police allege, were hidden in a can of jam. The can contained five saws. She is held in the provincial jail pending the posting of \$20,000 bail.

APPETITE TO DATE

Explorer: "Just to show you the advance of civilization—in the past the Eskimos used to eat candles for dessert."

Patient Friend: "And now, I suppose, they eat electric light bulbs?"—Boston Transcript.

How strange that prominent citizens caught monkeying with the underworld don't claim to have been gathering evidence.

A Two-Sided Story

Following is a letter that appeared in a Western newspaper, written by one of its readers. There is information in it for storekeepers: "Your paper is always boosting that home-town buying is the right thing, for if everybody bought away we would not have a town very long. In your editorial a week or two ago you said there would be less buying from catalogues if every merchant would advertise, because it is advertising that keeps the catalogue men going. Well, I believe that's right too, but one thing I would like to see all the local merchants do, and there are more who think the same, and that is for them to print the prices as much as they can in their advertising. And I also think that if the prices are going up they should say so and tell why, if they know. These times we all have to bite our nickles, or most of us, and we certainly don't like the idea of prices going up on staples particularly, and not a word about it till you reach the store. I am not an advertising expert, but I know what I would like to see in my local paper along that line and that is a lot of genuine information about goods and prices every week. Then we should feel better and if we were being fairly treated there would be less sending away. I hear this talked about a lot, so thought I would write you."

Alberta - Money, Alberta - Made Should Stay in Alberta For Alberta Trade

A concerted effort is being made to persuade Albertans to give preference to goods PRODUCED-IN-ALBERTA in their Christmas shopping. Retail merchants are being asked to assist by giving prominent display to ALBERTA-MADE MERCHANDISE.

Perhaps you have in the past, permitted yourself to be swayed by the eloquence of the sales person, who has casually suggested that what is being offered for sale "is imported." Foreign importations do not necessarily imply superiority.

In Your Christmas Shopping be "Alberta-Conscious"

It does not require much argument to emphasize the advantages of purchasing PRODUCED-IN-ALBERTA products. Our manufacturing facilities to-day are such that we can compete in the matter of quality, quantity and price with many of the most advanced and progressive manufacturers of other countries.

ALBERTA DEVELOPMENT BOARD (Southern Section)
J. H. HANNA, Secretary, Board of Trade, CALGARY

Mr. Merchant, tell your message to the people of this town and vicinity in

"The Times"

Palm Ice Cream

"The Cream of Them All"

In Bricks or Bulk

Sold in Macleod at

Dilly's Cafe

Week-end Specials of Cream and Fruit Combinations—These are Innovations in the Ice Cream Line and are Extremely Tasty

Melchers



Cross Canadian Gin

Canada's favorite gin for over 30 years

Manufactured in Canada under control of the Federal Government, rectified four times and matured in bond for years.

Bottled in two sizes:
40 oz. Bottle - 26 oz. Bottle

MELCHERS DISTILLERIES LIMITED, MONTREAL
DISTILLERS SINCE 1898

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THE TIMES FOR FINE COMMERCIAL PRINTING

SELLING ITSELF

It seems strange that anyone should need to "sell" electricity to the busy house-keeper of today. A force which illuminates, beautifies and safeguards the home; works at cleaning, sewing and cooking with equal facility and all at a wage varying from one third of a cent an hour for a cooling fan to six cents an hour for cooking and heating, should sell itself.

It does to the thousands of women who have once admitted it to their homes.

CALGARY POWER COMPANY LIMITED

ST. ANDREWS LADIES' AID ANNUAL SALE OF WORK AND TEA WAS GREAT SUCCESS

The splendid success which is always vouchsafed to the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church Ladies' Aid at their annual Christmas sale and afternoon tea was again extended to them on Saturday afternoon in the town hall, when the sale tables did a lively trade in practically clearing everything that was offered for sale, and the tea tables were crowded all the afternoon. At the close of the proceedings, when the cash from the various departments was totaled up, Mrs. J. D. Matheson, the president of the Aid, expressed herself as more than satisfied with the results, in fact she was surprised that they had done so well considering financial conditions at the present time, the total being considerably ahead of any year for the past few years. Mrs. Matheson had every detail organized in first-class shape, and as formerly she was supported by a most efficient and willing band of helpers.

The ladies presiding over the fancy work tables were: Mrs. E. Tabor, Mrs. Geo. McFarquhar, Mrs. J. B. McLean, Mrs. H. C. Winter. The home cooking table: Mrs. R. H. Richardson, Mrs. E. McCracken, Mrs. A. O. Humphreys. The tea tables: Pouring tea and coffee, Mrs. (Rev.) A. Ferguson, Mrs. J. A. Struthers; cutting and serving, Mrs. J. Swinerton, Mrs. R. M. Reid, Mrs. A. L. McKenzie, Mrs. J. Callie, Mrs. V. R. Baker, Mrs. J. Hamilton; waiting the tables, Mrs. M. Dowsett, Mrs. D. Hutton, Mrs. T. B. Armstrong, Mrs. G. E. Stewart, Mrs. H. Sutherland, Mrs. H. Hodnett, Mrs. F. Lyons, Miss A. Tabor, Miss B. Lyons, Mrs. H. H. McLean was the cashier for the tea tables. The C. G. I. T. girls had a candy table in charge of Lorna Ferguson, Alberta Bremner, Irene Kennedy, Mona Grier and Isabella Richardson.

STAND OFF WOMEN'S INSTITUTE HELD INTERESTING MEETING

The Stand Off Women's Institute met on Saturday afternoon, December 6th, at the

home of Mrs. Walter Hovis in Macleod. On account of bad roads and inclement weather in November no meeting was held, but on Saturday the weather was fine and no less than 35 members came in from the country and were present at the meeting.

Mrs. A. E. Skelding, the president presided, and as there was a considerable amount of general business to transact, there was no special programme.

It was decided to replenish all the first aid medical kits in the six schools of the district—Evelme, Ardenville, Allanfields, Hazelmore, Waterton and Lone Rock. These kits have been found most beneficial and have been much appreciated in the various schools.

A miscellaneous shower is to be given to Mrs. Frank Killoran, who recently returned to Macleod, having lost their home by fire in British Columbia.

Mrs. Skelding and Mrs. Hovis were appointed as representatives of the Institute to the meeting of the Local Council of Women to be held in January. The question of holding a baby clinic and a short course in home nursing next summer was discussed, and it was the opinion of the meeting that such a clinic and course would be beneficial. It was reported that Mr. Cook, of Edmonton, had visited the Waterton School and gave a health lecture illustrated by lantern views, which was found to be very instructive and interesting to the children. The members are working on an embroidered flower quilt, which will be sold to raise funds.

The officers for 1931 were elected, the old executive being practically re-elected. President, Mrs. A. E. Skelding, 1st Vice President, Mrs. J. McNeil; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. G. P. Rowe; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. Walter Hovis; Assistant Sec.-Treas., Mrs. E. A. Whipple; Musical Committee, Mrs. W. Loyst and Mrs. N. Wyard. The places of meeting and the convenors of the different departments will be selected at the next meeting in January.

Mrs. Wilfred Perrin, a recent bride, who is one of the young members of the Institute, was

presented at this meeting with a well filled basket of valuable and useful articles. Mrs. Perrin in a neat little speech, thanked the members for the lovely gifts.

A special feature of the meeting, which caused a great deal of merriment, was a basket of Xmas toys, which were addressed to a number of the members, each toy had a verse attached, which on being read, created much laughter. Altogether the meeting was one of the jolliest gatherings which the Institute has held. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Hovis, assisted by Mrs. Skelding, Mrs. Loyst, Mrs. Williams, Miss Killoran and Miss Murphy.

GAS COMPANY BANQUET AT MACLEOD

On Friday evening last the annual banquet of the Canadian Western Natural Gas, Light, Heat & Power Co., Ltd., for Lethbridge and northern districts, was held in the Queen's hotel, Macleod, with some 55 officers and employees of the company and guests present. Officers of the company present were A. G. Baalim, director, Lethbridge; P. D. Mellon, general superintendent, and Chief Engineer and H. S. Watt, secretary-treasurer, both of Calgary, and R. S. Winter of Lethbridge, district superintendent.

The banquet was served in the dining room of the Queen's by the ladies of St. Andrew's church, who were highly complimented by speakers on the excellence of the repast. Mayor Swinerton of Macleod, proprietor of the hotel, was also present to aid in looking after the needs of the big gathering.

It was a "happy family" party, one of those affairs held each year to bring the employees of the various departments together to hear something about each other's problems and to have a little of the fun of life at the same time. Rollicking community songs were interspersed with short, pithy speeches by members of different departments. General Superintendent Mellon and Superintendent Winter were joint toastmasters, and kept the meeting moving along in fine style.

Those who contributed to the evening's entertainment with song, instrumental numbers or speech included Messrs. Mellon, Winter, Watts, Baalim, Gillespie, Best, Pelletier, Moran, McVean, Campbell, Edlund,

Harrison, Lundy, Timmins, MacKinnon, Dunn, Harold Long, Sam Coultis, production manager of the Royalite in Turner Valley; J. J. Morrison, Braley, Grey and others. The company's Calgary orchestra also helped to enliven the proceedings.

One of the points stressed in many of the speeches was the need of developing public support of the utility by giving the best of service, and by being fair in all dealings with the public.

The quarterly prize for inspired composition goes to the lino-type operator who said: "Glasses fitted by a graduate optometrist."

OBITUARY

DEATH OF ALFRED THOMPSON

Christ church (Anglican) Macleod was crowded to capacity on Friday afternoon, December 5, for the funeral service of Alfred Thompson, rancher of Beaver Creek, who died at the Macleod hospital on December 3, of pneumonia, after a few days illness.

The deceased was born at Brooklyn, New York, and was 42 years of age and was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thompson, of that city. His father died when he was only a boy. In 1907 the family came west and located in the Beaver Creek district, west of Macleod and went in for ranching in the hills. He is survived by his mother Mrs. J. Johnson of Beaver Creek, two brothers Mart and Roy of Macleod, and one married sister, Mrs. Hamilton.

The deceased was a member of the Odd Fellows lodge, Cowley, and a large number of the Cowley lodge were present to pay their last respects to a departed brother, altogether there were about 45 Odd Fellows present including members of the Macleod and Granum lodges. The usual ritualistic service of the order at the graveside was conducted by members of the Cowley lodge. The Rev. Frank Randall Powell, M.A., rector of Christ church, conducted the usual Anglican service in the church and at the cemetery. The pall bearers were Robt. McLean, Edwin Walker, Wm. E. Walker, Chas. Marshall, Wm. Miller and Harold Walker. Geo. McFarquhar and Son had charge of the funeral arrangements.

FUNERAL OF MAXIMILLIAN ST. GEORGE

The funeral took place from the Holy Cross Catholic church on Thursday morning, December 4, at 10 o'clock, of Maximilian St. George, who died at his home in Macleod on Tuesday, December 3, after an illness of exactly one year, for it was on the 4th of December, 1929, that he was taken to the Macleod hospital. The deceased was 34 years of age, and had lived practically all his life in the Macleod district, having come with his parents when about six years of age from the State of Washington, U. S. A., where he was born. The family took up land in the Hazelmere district, and it is only a few years ago that his parents died, both being over 90 years of age at their decease.

Mr. St. George is survived by his widow and four children, one boy and three girls, the youngest being a baby of one year old, and the eldest, the boy, 10 years old, and four brothers, Victor, Clem, Tennie, and William, all residing in the States. The mourners present at the funeral were Mrs. St. George and her son; her mother, Mrs. James Beattie, Macleod; her sister, Mrs. Rettie, Lethbridge; her brothers, James Beattie, Calgary; William Beattie, Nobleford; Fred Beattie, Turner Valley, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Beattie, Turner Valley.

The Rev. Father Ross, parish priest of Macleod, celebrated requiem mass, Mrs. J. J. Burke taking the musical parts, with Mrs. L. D. Huntley at the organ.

There was a very large congregation at the church to show their respect for the deceased and the sympathy for the bereaved young mother and her family. The pallbearers were W. A. Day, C. E. Tweed, M. Donahue, F. Walshe, J. Lemere, H. S. Baile.

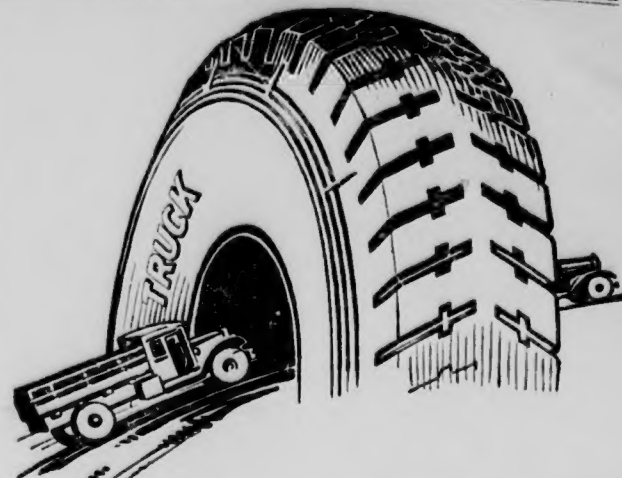
Spiritual Offerings — Mrs. St. George and family, Mrs. James Beattie, Sr.; Mrs. Rettie, Mr. and Mrs. James Beattie, Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beattie, Mrs. Geo. Beattie, The Holy Cross Catholic Women's League, The Holy Cross Separate School, Teacher, and Children; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gillen, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gagnon, Mr. and Mrs. F. Killoran, Joe Lemere, P. Neveau.

Floral Tributes — Mr. and Mrs. George Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beattie, Mrs. Rettie, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. T. Samson, R. A. Clement.

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THE WHITE HALL

Macleod Local and Personal News

Mrs. Wm. Whitworth was a visitor in Calgary on Tuesday.

David R. Carse was a business visitor in Lethbridge over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones were week-end visitors in Lethbridge, registered at the Marquis Hotel.

W. J. Scott, of the Modern Tire & Supply, Macleod, was a business visitor at Calgary over the week-end.

J. "Nick" Nicholson, well known rancher of the Macleod district, returned to Macleod on Saturday last after a successful moose and deer hunt. The party of seven secured 6 nice heads.

Miss Mabel McCrea was a visitor in Lethbridge over the week-end, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Shera.

Judge A. M. MacDonald was in Lethbridge on Tuesday holding District Court Chambers in the absence of His Honor Judge Jackson.

Phil Brooks, who has been confined to the Hospital for the past three weeks with rheumatic fever, is slowly progressing towards recovery.

A number of Granum Elks were visitors in Macleod on Tuesday attending the regular meeting of the Macleod lodge of the B. P. O. E.

Mr. Henderson, of the Crystal Dairy staff, Lethbridge, and the Misses Scott, Lethbridge, were visitors in Macleod last Sunday.

George Stewart shot a mallard duck on Wednesday, tagged on the right leg with a Washington, D. C. Biological Survey tag No. 595864.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Grier and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brooks, of Macleod, were among the guests last week at the Acre Preceptory Ball at Lethbridge.

J. A. Struthers has taken over the Millinery and fancy goods store lately operated by Miss A. M. Wilson and would be pleased to meet old patrons and many new ones.

Mountain View Rebekah Lodge No. 23, at their meeting on Tuesday evening, appointed their elective officers for the first term of 1931, as follows: Noble Grand, Sister Lenora Bremner; Vice Grand, Sister Mary Armer; Recording Secretary, Sister May Hartley, P.N.G.; Financial Secretary, Sister Jean McHattie, P.N.G.; Treasurer, Sister Agnes Richardson, P.N.G.

The new Board recently elected for Macleod General Hospital held their first meeting on Monday evening, Dec. 8th, the principal business being the appointing of the officers for the year. Plans also were discussed for the carrying on of the Hospital during 1931. The following were the appointed officers: President, Mayor J. Swinerton, re-elected; Vice President, W. Cockeram; Finance Committee, W. A. Day, Wesley Shield, W. Cockeram; Secretary-Treasurer, Geo. H. Scougall, re-elected; Auditor, R. J. E. Gardiner, re-elected. The other members of the Board are C. W. Stevens, Geo. McFarquhar, and Allan Young.

Charles C. Bremner, Inspector of Schools for the Macleod Inspectorate, returned from Edmonton on Tuesday where he has been for the past 10 days attending a meeting of a committee of ten members who were appointed by the Department of Education of Alberta to revise the old Readers at present in use in the first six grades of the public schools, and to bring out a new, up-to-date Reader for these grades. Mr. Bremner expects that the new Readers will be published and ready for circulation for 1933. Mrs. Bremner accompanied her husband to Edmonton, and is now visiting at Bawlf, the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Carmichael, where Mr. Bremner intends to

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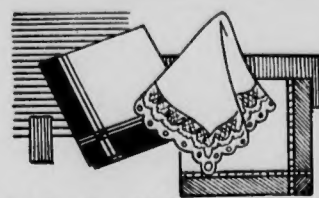
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Jim Vert returned from a very successful big game hunt round the Rocky Mountain House district. While up there Mr. Vert brought down a big black bear after a couple of well timed shots.

Mrs. I. R. Spencer (nee Norma Clarke), of Yakima, Wash., U. S. A., and her three children arrived in Macleod on Monday night on an extended visit to her father Thomas Clarke. It is ten years since Mrs. Spencer left Macleod.

The Rev. Frank Randall Powell, M.A., Rector of Christ Church, Macleod, attended a meeting of the Rural Deanery of the Macleod District at Coleman last week. Mr. Powell is Rural Dean for the Deanery, and was accompanied to Coleman by Archdeacon Swanson of Lethbridge.

At the International Hay and Grain Show, Chicago 50 prizes were offered for hard spring wheat—47 going to Western Canada—1st and 2nd to Alberta, and among the 8 prizes going to Alberta Barley Adams, of Macleod, captured one prize for wheat raised at Orion, and which weighed 67 lbs. to the bushel.

The B. P. O. Elk lodge No. 129, of Macleod, had their election of officers at their regular meeting on Tuesday night, there being quite a large number of members present, and they were also favored with a fraternal visit by a number of "Hello Bills" of the Granum lodge. After the business of the lodge was concluded, refreshments were served and a jolly hour was spent in song and story. The officers elected were: Exalted Ruler, L. A. Dixon; Leading Knight, C. G. Hault; Loyal Knight, Al West; Lecturing Knight, R. Wallace Hamilton; Trustee, Hugh McLean; Secretary, Arthur

Young; Treasurer, Cliff Clarke; Inner Guard, Jas. Smith; Outer Guard, Jas. Ironfield. The installation will take place at the last meeting of the lodge in January, when it is expected a number of Grand Lodge Officers will be present.

The junior choir of the United Church, Macleod, presented a splendid programme on Tuesday evening in the church when they rendered a number of choral pieces and four special numbers by the orchestra. The big feature of the programme was Miss Carry De Long, of Calgary, she was the literary artist of the evening. Miss De Long showed her widely varied talents by her dialectic interpretations and versatility in the various pieces she rendered, both pathetic and humorous, and her audience showed their appreciation of her efforts. There was a good attendance of friends of the choir in response to their appeal for support in their work in the church.

The annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Macleod, was held on Tuesday afternoon, December 9th at the home of Mrs. George McFarquhar. There was a good attendance of members present, and most gratifying reports were presented, showing that excellent work had been accomplished during the year, the allocation having been fully met, which was cause for thankfulness, under present financial conditions. A feature of the meeting was the presentation of a Life Membership, to Mrs. M. E. Tripp, who has been a most faithful and devoted member of the society for many years. Touching reference was made in the secretary's report to the loss which the society sustained recently by the removal, by death, of Mrs. John McMurchie, who for a number of years was Glad Tidings Secretary, was most regular in her attendance at the meetings and took a great interest in the work of the society. The officers for 1931 were elected as follows: President, Mrs. R. J. E. Gardiner, re-elected; Vice president, Mrs. (Rev.) Alex Ferguson, re-elected; Secretary, Mrs. Geo. E. Stewart, re-elected; Treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Moreash, re-elected; Glad Tidings Secretary, Mrs. George McFarquhar; Home Helpers Secretary, Mrs. M. Hill, re-elected. Miss Blossom Lyons rendered a delightful solo which was much enjoyed.

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